

**COMMITTEE MINUTES for  
HUMAN SERVICES  
APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE**

Date: February 13, 2001

Place: Room 116

Convened: 9:51 a.m.      Recessed: 11:55 a.m.      Reconvened: 12:10 PM      Adjourned: 12:20 a.m.

Present: Senators Veenstra-CH, Boettger-VC, Hammond-RM, Harper, Redwine  
Representatives Heaton-CH, Johnson-VC, Osterhaus-RM, Arnold, Foege, Greimann, Houser,  
Hoversten, Smith

Absent:

Excused:

Senator Ken Veenstra, Chair, called the meeting or order; Senator Boettger moved for approval of the Minutes from the previous meeting, seconded by Representative Heaton, approved by voice vote. Minutes approved by voice vote from previous meeting

**Speakers:**

Toledo Juvenile Home and Eldora Training School  
Bob Eppler and Steve Huston

Decategorization Funding/Shifting of Child Welfare funds  
Dale Schmitz, Regional Administrator  
Bill Gardum, Regional Administrator

Childrens' Mental Health Issues  
Linda Hinton, DHS  
Dr. Ed Schor, Department of Public Health  
Brenda Oas, Department of Education

Reimbursement of Psychiatric Medical Institutions for Children (PMIC)  
Dr. Earl Kelly, Orchard Place Guidance Center  
Ralph Rosenberg, Coalition for Family and Children Services  
Jeff Terrell, DHS

Questions were asked by the legislators

Motion by Senator Hammond to adopt the Governor's budget recommendation for DHS. Supported by Representative Greimann.

Chair requested a 2-minute recess to consult with the co-chair after which the Republicans went to caucus, Democrats also went into caucus. After reconvening a vote was taken on the motion by record roll call. The results of the vote were 8 Nays & 6 Ayes. Motion was defeated.

Representative Foege moved we adjourn.

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Chair, Senator Ken Veenstra

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Secretary Jan Veenstra